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Title

SPLIT BARRIER LAYER INCLUDING NITROGEN-CONTAINING

PORTION AND OXYGEN-CONTAINING PORTION

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Date: January 2, 2002

- 1. X FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing).
- 2. IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION

____ This application is a of patent application No. .

Prior application information: Examiner; Group Art Unit:

X This application claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4), to provisional Application No. 60/301,295.

- 3. APPLICATION COMPRISED OF
 - **Specification**

19 Specification, claims and Abstract (total pages)

Drawings

4 Sheets of informal drawing(s) (FIGS. 1 to 7)

Declaration and Power of Attorney

- ___ Newly executed
- X Unexecuted declaration
- Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))(for continuation and divisional)
- 4. ____ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
- 5. ____ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

 Computer Readable Copy
 - Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
 - ____ Statement verifying identity of above copies
- 6. APPLICANT(S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27
 - Applicant(s) and any others associated with it/them under § 1.27(a) are a SMALL ENTITY

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| 7. | ALSO ENCLOSED ARE Preliminary Amendment Includes "Cross-Reference to Related Applications" |
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| | A Petition for Extension of Time for the parent application and the required fee are enclosed |
| | An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Cover Sheet and the recordation fee are enclosed |
| | This application is owned by pursuant to an Assignment recorded at Reel, Frame Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations |
| | Certified copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) English Translation Document (if applicable) |
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FEE DETERMINATION

| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------|--|
| | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA | SMALL ENTITY RATE | LARGE ENTITY RATE | FEE | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 24 - 20 | 4 | x \$9.00 | 4 x \$18.00 | \$72.00 | |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 6 – 3 | 3 | x \$42.00 | 3 x \$84.00 | \$252.00 | |
| MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE | | | \$140.00 | \$280.00 | | |
| BASIC FEE | | | \$370.00 | \$740.00 | \$740.00 | |
| TOTAL FILING FEE | | | | | \$1,064.00 | |
| List Independent Claims: 1, 10, 11, 15, 16, and 23 | | | | | | |

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X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to give effect to this paper and during the entire pendency of the application to Agere Systems, Inc. Deposit Account No. 50-1735. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to said Agere Systems, Inc. Deposit Account No. 50-1735. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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